



EXPRESS MAIL NO. EV347011857US

PATENT

RECEIVED

JUL 31 2003

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Ajay Bhatia et al.  
Application No. : 10/007,693  
Filed : December 5, 2001  
For : COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR TREATMENT AND  
DIAGNOSIS OF *CHLAMYDIAL* INFECTION

Examiner : Padmavathi Baskar  
Art Unit : 1645  
Docket No. : 210121.515C2  
Date : July 25, 2003

Amtd  
12/B  
Linda  
8/6/03

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE UNDER C.F.R. § 1.111 AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2003, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on July 26, 2003. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.